

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EPAP, CG, CH

SUBJECT: TWO THOUSAND TONS WHEAT SUPPLIED BY PRC TO ZAIRE

1. JULY 20 LOCAL MANAGER OF MIDEMA, ZAIRE'S ONLY FLOUR MILL  
AND PRIMARILY OWNED BY CONTINENTAL GRAIN, TOLD ECON COUNSELOR  
THAT HE HAD JUST PURCHASED FROM ZAIRIAN GOVT 2,000 TONS OF  
WHEAT SUPPLIED TO ZAIRE BY PRC. HE SAID THAT HE PAID  
190 ZAIRES PER TON (ONE ZAIRE EQUALS ONE SPECIAL DRAWING RIGHT).

2. MIDEMA MANAGER STATED THAT HE SUSPECTED IT WAS NO ACCIDENT  
THAT FLOUR DELIVERED BY CHINESE WAS TO ALMOST EXACT SPECIFICATIONS  
OF LOCAL MILL. THEREFORE, HE ASSUMED THAT IT PROBABLY HAD BEEN  
PURCHASED BY CHINESE FROM CANADA.  
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## Message Attributes

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